





# UP A STUMP?

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PHONE 49.

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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 1st, 1909.

### A TARIFF RESOLUTION.

Mr. Knowles, a Liberal member for Saskatchewan, has given notice of a resolution in the House of Commons calling for a reduction of the tariff on agricultural implements and other articles necessary to agricultural classes. Every farmer in the west should keep his eye on this resolution and watch the Liberal party hedge. Our member, Dr. Clark, will have a splendid opportunity of showing his sincerity towards free trade principles by making a rousing speech in favor of this resolution. The Conservative members of the west have already pronounced themselves as in favor of a lower duty on agricultural implements and, owing to the fact that congress introduced a clause in the tariff law enacted a few months ago providing that certain agricultural implements, including harrows, threshing machines, etc., shall be imported free of duty into the United States when coming from any country which imposes no duty on like articles when imported by it from the United States, this motion is most timely. Dr. Clark might even go further and advocate free trade in the articles mentioned. The doctor has his chance. Will he jump at it?

### THE BIBLE IN THE SCHOOLS.

The committees appointed by the Anglican, Presbyterian, Methodist and Baptist denominations of Alberta met in Red Deer, Friday next, Dec. 3rd, at 2 p.m., to discuss religious instruction in our schools.

In connection with this gathering the words of the late Bishop Harris (Episcopal) of Michigan, are very appropriate:

With wily cunning, ultramontanism has taken advantage of the divisions of Protestantism in order to banish the Bible from our public schools. And now with savage inconsistency it repudiates its attacks on them because they are "godless." The answer is, No! No! Not godless yet, though you have endeavored to make them so; not godless yet, so long as godly men and women are teachers; not godless yet, so long as our children shall issue from Christian homes in the morning and return to Christian homes at night. All Christian friends, unless they are blind and mad, in the great Protestant communion, must co-operate to defend and preserve our common school, well knowing that it is in that that ultramontanism is being confronted and withstood to-day. Let all good Americans, clerical and lay, fathers and mothers, look themselves to the schools of their neighborhood, guard them from manipulation by political managers, and see that the teachers are proof against sectarian atheistic influences.

### Am I Right or Wrong?

To the Editor of the News.

Dear Sir—  
Seeing we are close upon an election, I would like to ask the above question in reference to the doings of our Councilors.

It they, like any of the rest of us, are expected to be law-abiding, why are they so lax in keeping the law? Of course, they may be right and I may be wrong; if I am, I will retract, but if they are wrong, I think it high time they amended their ways.

I contend it is wrong for a Councilor to in any way whatever derive any benefit from either supplying goods or doing work for the municipality, because it is against the law.

Back in the old country I had a seat on the Council, and was thereby deprived of supplying any goods whatever or doing work under a penalty of losing my seat and liable to a fine of £200.

Feeling sure, Mr. Editor, that some law of the kind must be in force in this part of the King's realm, I called at the town offices and asked to see the by-laws, but as I could not find there anything touching the point, I had placed in my hands the Ordinances of the N. W. T. of Canada, 1905, and the law clause relating to the matter reads thus, Chap. 70, No. 10:

#### PERSONS DISQUALIFIED FOR COUNCILLORS.

"No person having, by himself, or his partner, an interest in any contract with or on behalf of the corporation or being indebted to the municipality, shall be qualified to be a member of the Council of any municipality."

Now, sir, that being law, I contend I am right and they are wrong, and the sooner we get into a lawful way of Councilorship the better will it be for our town, the contractors and tradesmen as a body.

I contend that to work in an illegal way by a body who should be the one to see that the laws are kept, is detrimental in many ways to our town; we want fresh people to come to our town, new industries to open up, but how can we expect to get such while our town is being run in such a one-horse-shay fashion, as outsiders have only to watch the reports of the Council meetings to see how things are managed, and I want to see everything done that shall be for the best interests of the community at large.

Again, if our Councilors so flagrantly infringe the law, how can they expect to have good, law-abiding citizens to counsel.

I may not be an old timer, but I have been here long enough to take an interest in our town (part of which belongs to me) and I want to see everything done that shall be for the best interests of the community at large.

We have seen in the reports of our Council meetings that certain work has been done by contract by a member of the Council, and was, I believe, right, but no one else had a look in or a chance to give a price; the same member had another job, that of building the town offices, their tender being the lowest, but then I know of another contractor and a capable man who would have put in a price had it not been for the knowledge that the Councilor would try for it, so he would not tender for it. I am sure, he said, the Council firm would get it; so in that way it is, I contend, detrimental to the best working of

the town.  
I well remember, Mr. Editor, when a certain tradesman was aspiring for a seat on the Council, how he wrote a letter on this very subject, condemning it strongly, and stating how if he were elected such things would not be done by him, but, alas, we have seen his name too among those who supply goods.

I can quite understand when our town was but a village, and not many here who could supply goods or do work, that the Councilors had then to do it, but now it is different and high time for our Councilors to mend their ways.

I am not writing this letter under any non de plume as though I were ashamed of it or afraid to do so, but I will sign my name and trust the matter may be taken up in a proper way and the existing wrongs righted without there being any necessity for the matter to go further.

I certainly think the matter should be settled before the election takes place, so that everyone may know what to expect when seeking election, also our new Mayor, whoever he may be, would be able to see that the Councilors had no chance to contract for work or supply goods.

Feeling I have written enough to open the subject, and fearing I may even now have trespassed too much on your space, I will close in full expectation that the matter will have attention, and as a lover of fair-play, remain,

Yours truly,

F. MOTT.

P.S.—Since handing this to the printer I have seen a dodger, for a ratemakers' meeting on Wednesday, and regret I cannot be present as I am forced to be out of town.

Electric is to be substituted for steam power as a means of running C.P.R. trains in and out of Montreal.

The Irish land bill with some changes in the amendments recently proposed has passed the House of Lords.

The united counties of Leeds and Grenville have decided to spend \$300,000 in improvement of 200 miles of public roads.

Count Leo Tolstoy has appealed to the people of the world to stop the growth of armies and navies. What will Canada's response be?

### Canadian Pacific ANNUAL EXCURSIONS

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The Man in The Moon  
Came Tumbling Down  
And Inquired The Way  
To The Nearest Town:  
Said He—"I'm After  
More Golden West:  
The Folks in The Moon  
All Declare it's The Best  
And The Premiums are Certainly Fine!"  
He Took All He Could Buy:  
Then Spread His Coat Tail  
And Sailed to The Sky  
On A Bit of a Gale:  
Now Watch The Old Moon Shine.  
Yes

### Golden West Washing Powder:

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# EVOLUTION.

We fully recognize that to succeed in business to-day, it is not enough that we should look out for ourselves; we must also look out for our customers—That is, we must study your needs and make your interests our own. To sell you something you don't want, or to sell you an article above its actual value, is a calamity—for us. Business is built on confidence. We make money out of our friends—as our enemies will not trade with us. We aim to treat you so that you will come back, as there is no ad. equal to a pleased customer. We want to be of real service to you, to give you better goods, better selections, better values, better prices—and we're doing it. We ask you to come in and see our splendid array of XMAS GOODS. Our store is a bower of Holiday Brightness. It is an extensive showing of many distinct, exclusive designs in Jewellery, Cut Glass, etc.—Goods that we are proud to show. You'll be delighted with the showing and surprised with the reasonable prices asked. Come. ONE Price and money back if not satisfied.

## A BEAUTIFUL BROOCH

You can instantly think of some one who would be "so pleased" to have a Brooch. We have a "peach"—it is solid gold and beautifully set with real pearls. It can be disannexed for \$10.00.

## A Diamond for "HER"

How about a Diamond Ring at Christmas for her? Why not make the effort to "afford the purchase" one of your set purposes from now until Christmas—making the selection now and paying a deposit? Our line of Diamond Rings affords you a splendid selection. Our special ring at, say \$25.00, is a sure winner.

## STICK PINS

We're enthusiastic over our line of dainty Stick Pins. They are solid gold and set with real pearls. These Pins are exquisitely fashioned by artists who love their work. We will part with them for \$2.00 each.

Next week for "soon" are not as good times as NOW to select that gift. Just have it put aside. You will feel happier after it is selected.

## A Signet Ring for "HIM"

A Signet Ring is probably the most favored ring for a man. You could not buy Him anything more suitable. We have a large assortment at a great range of prices.

Our \$5.00 Ring is exceptionally good value. It is made in heavy 14-k gold, and the workmanship, style and finish are perfect.

# HAROLD J. SNELL

Jeweller, Optician, Issuer of Marriage Licenses

# HALL'S CASH STORE

## A Special Christmas Offer For The Boys and Girls

BEGINNING SATURDAY, NOV. 27, 1909

Here's an opportunity for every Boy and Girl in Red Deer and the District to earn a lot of money between now and the 22nd of December, when this special offer will close. The plan we propose is very simple, so simple that any of your friends will no doubt assist you if you only ask them—and that's where your part comes in. It means we will have to give a lot of money away, but everybody feels more generous at Christmas time—at least they should—and that's just the way we feel towards the boys and girls. We are having hundreds of tickets printed with a space left for you to write your name. You are to sign these cards, hand them to your friends and get them to come to our Store and do their trading, and we will credit the boy or girl whose name appears on the card with 5 per cent. of the amount purchased by the person presenting the card.

As a special inducement for every boy and girl to do his and her best in this contest, in addition to the 5 per cent. discount in cash every one will get to the boy and girl whose credits amount to the most on the evening of December 22nd we will give, absolutely free, TWO BEAUTIFUL WATCHES—to the boy a nice Gun Metal Swiss Movement Guaranteed Watch, and to the girl a lovely Silver Bracelet Watch, also fully guaranteed. See them in our window. Get to work at once, boys and girls; if you do not win the watches you are sure of making some money, and the more money you make the better chance you have of getting a watch. If you run out of tickets call and get more at the Store.

An account will be kept of every Boy's and Girl's Discounts, and we can let them know at any time just how much is standing to their credit.

## CHRISTMAS OFFERINGS

We have without doubt the nicest assorted stock of Christmas lines at the most reasonable prices ever seen in Red Deer. We strongly advise the choosing of your gifts early, as already many lines are being picked up, and we cannot again repeat them this season.

### FURS

We have an excellent stock of Fur Ruffs and Storm Collars at prices which are much lower than are usually asked for similar lines. Don't forget this when considering a present for the ladies.

### TOYS

You'll be surprised at the lines you can get in our new department for 5c, 10c and 15c. The ladies whom we think know pretty well, say they are just about half the price asked by others for lines really no better.

### SPECIAL SHIPMENT OF WATCHES

Just at hand this week a shipment of fully guaranteed Watches in Ladies' and Gentlemen's Gold Filled, Girls' Bracelet Watches, and Boys' Gun Metal Watches. The values on every line are very special. They are just the thing for those who wish to give a good Watch and not pay too much for it for a Christmas present. Ask us about them when you are in.

We have a nice assortment of CHRISTMAS CARDS at 5c. and 10c.

Red Deer's Cash Store C. E. HALL Smith & Gaetz Block



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We are giving our customers the very best to be obtained in these products.

We appreciate the kind words of commendation frequently given us by our customers, and we are sparing no pains to give pure, wholesome and rich milk and cream, and satisfaction to all.

Try us and you will be satisfied.

MILK - 7c. Quart.  
CREAM - 40c. "

Willson & Brown.

## Chocolates

We have just received some very choice Confectionery. The following are a few of the lines we carry:

Cadbury's Chocolate  
Ganong Bros. "  
Fry's "  
McCormick's "  
Boyd's "  
Lowney's "  
Perrin's "

and others.

Try Tootler's Swiss Milk Chocolate, New Year.

Fruits of All Kinds in Season.

D. G. HORN, Confectioner.

## LIGHT WITHOUT HEAT

The Puzzle of the Tiny Firefly and the Mighty Comet.

### EACH HOLDS THE SECRET.

It is a Mystery to Science, and the Man Who is Able to Penetrate That Mystery Will Be a Pacesetter to Revolutionize This Planet of Ours.

This is not an Aesop fable, although it has a moral. There are two things in whose presence science stands wondering and stunted—the little glowworm and the jet tiler firefly and the mighty comet arching the sky with its glittering train. Each of them holds the same secret—how to make light without heat. The man who gets that secret will revolutionize the planet.

The late president of the Royal Astronomical Society of Great Britain referred to the value of the comet's secret in his retiring address. He thought that we do not sufficiently appreciate the wondrous spectacle of a comet's tail. It shows us hundreds of billions of cubic miles of space simultaneously glowing with luminosity whose origin is a mystery.

It is a gigantic experiment in a branch of physics of which we as yet know very little. The comet is immersed in what we may well regard as a vacuum; at least it is a far more perfect vacuum than we can produce. Yet the persistent glow of the comet's tail shows that there is no real vacuum there, but a vast quantity of extremely attenuated matter which no doubt is the cause of the luminosity. We ought, Professor Newall thinks, to awake to the importance of this hint. "Who knows," he says, "whether, if we could discover a method of disrupting gases and vapors in ultra vacuum spaces artificially maintained on earth, we should not have a method of artificial illumination as economical as that of the glowworm and as brilliant as is needed for our nocturnal life?"

This thing may really be within our reach, although at the present time we cannot even suggest to ourselves exactly how it is to be attained. But the tendency of recent investigation is in that direction. As Sir John Herschel said of another discovery which was just at the door, "We can feel it trembling along the far-reaching line of our analysis."

There are not a few men, who are regarded as dreamers, who picture to themselves a fast coming time when we shall not only obtain light at as cheap a rate as the glowworm, but when we shall have tapped the exhaustless stores of energy that sleep all around us in nature.

We are here in a dream suspended in the midst of a vast workshop crowded with multitudinous machines, all whirling and fluttering in a storm of energies, but which we can neither control nor understand. If we could see these things they might terrify us, as the dreamer is terrified by the whirling belts and spinning wheels of his vision, seeming to grasp at his life.

The scientific investigator needs to establish a *raison d'être* in the eyes of the public, which cannot follow either his processes or his results, he was only to point to the most practical discoveries of modern times have come out of the laboratories from things as incomprehensible to the uninitiated as so much magic. It is a well known fact that the growing might of Germany springs from her devotion to "pure research."

Referring again to the pregnant hint of the comet, Professor Newall is clearly right in saying, "There is a theme that should stir the most commercial mind in the support of astronomy."—Garrett P. Service in New York American.

On the Cars of New York. The surface cars of New York carry on each line as different a nationality as if each belonged to a different country. On the Eighth avenue line there are mostly colored people; on the Sixth avenue they are largely Americans, if there are any Americans in New York; on the Broadway cars there are stylishly dressed New Yorkers; on the Third avenue Irish and Jewish people predominate, on the Second avenue Jewish, Italian, Hungarian, Swedish and German, while on the surface cars that run along Avenue A you see every foreign nationality under the sun, all bareheaded.—New York Press.

Vain Regrets. "That man Billie lacks courage and energy." "Yes, confound him!" "Why do you say that?" "Because he was courting my wife long before I met her. If he had had a little more courage and energy—But what's the use of talking about it now?"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

What Rules the World. When Napoleon struck the names of his dead soldiers to be inscribed on the face of Pompey's pillar, some one criticized the act as "a mere bit of imagination." "That is true," replied Napoleon, "but imagination rules the world."—Atlantic.

Compensation. A young cadet was complaining of the tight fit of his uniform. "Why, father," he answered, "the collar presses my Adam's apple so hard I can taste cider!"—Harper's Weekly.

Your little child is your only true democrat.—Stowe.

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## WALL STREET WAYS.

Methods of a Brilliant Operator of Many Years Ago.

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Such was the influence his indomitable will carried that after he had accumulated stock at his prices he could tell his daily callers that the stock was due to go up, and immediately the market would rise. Personal and public buying of the stock to send it up, thus enabling Morse to unload at a profit.

Any example of Morse's popularity was illustrated in a scene accompanying the opening of subscriptions for stock in a coal mining company organized by him. The day the subscription book was opened people flocked to the office and fought with each other in their efforts to enter and get their names recorded. One man who had subscribed for a large amount of this stock, after getting away from the crowd, came back and, walking up to Morse, said, "I saw you were subscribed for?—Moody's Magazine."

## BIRDS AS SCOUTS.

A Gypsy's Warning Before the Battle of Sedawa.

During the night, July 23, before the battle of Sedawa, a division commanded by the archduke, retreating before the Russian army, had bivouacked near a town in Bohemia facing north. The night was a peasant's cottage was awakened by the arrival of a gypsy, who insisted on seeing him personally, having come to report the advance of the enemy.

The archduke, who spoke Rumanian, asked: "How do you know? Our reports have not reported any movement."

"That, your highness, is because the enemy is still some way off."

"Then how do you know?"

The gypsy, pointing to the dark sky lighted by the moon, observed, "You see those birds flying over the woods from north to south?"

"Yes, what of them?"

"Those birds do not fly by night unless disturbed, and the direction of their flight indicates that the enemy is coming this way."

The archduke put his division under arms and reformed the battalions, which in two hours' time were heavily attacked.—Field Marshal Sir Evelyn Wood in London Saturday Gazette.

Some Prophecies Fulfilled. Long before his name was known outside his native country Oliver Cromwell was making one of his rambling speeches in the house of commons. Lord Digby asked Hampton who he was, and Hampton replied, "If ever I was in a dream, it was in a dream, that you will be the greatest man in England." Never was any prophecy more completely fulfilled.

Almost equally remarkable in the way was Disraeli's prophecy, "But a time will come when you will hear me," much when nothing appeared more unlikely than the brilliant series of triumphs which fulfilled it.

Another instance of a quickly fulfilled prophecy was furnished Pope Pius VII when he told of Napoleon's escape from Elba. "Don't worry about it," he said; "it is a storm that will be in three months." The story of the hundred days proved his business to be right to a few hours.

He Got None.

"What's a pun, father?" "A pun, my son, is a play upon words. There are three kinds of puns—good ones, which you laugh at; indifferent ones, which you take no notice of; and bad ones, which make you throw something at the punster."

"Can you make a pun, father?" "Of course, my son. Now, you're thinking about your supper, aren't you?"

"Yes, father."

"Well, that's supper-most in your mind at the present time. That you see, is a play on—Here, you young rascal, what did you throw that book at me for?"—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Frog Farming in France. Among the adventures of frog farming in France is the fact that it is a habit of persons of limited means to utilize marishes and ponds which are too shallow and wet for fish culture and practically useless for any other purpose and produce on a comparatively small area a large amount of valuable food material for which there is always an eager market.

Hunted the Hunter. "Is it really true," asked Miss Chelius, "that you're engaged to Mr. Bickley?"

"It is," calmly replied Miss Bute.

"My dear," exclaimed Miss Chelius, "he was a great catch!"

"I beg your pardon," retorted the other laughingly, "catcher."—Catholic Standard and Times.

Objects of General Interest. Those flashy Van Punks have moved. Do you know where they went?

"That's the very thing their unhappy landlord asked me."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The poet's verse alludes into the current of our blood. We read it when young, we remember it when old.—Smiles.

## Tortured by Piles.

Could not Rest! Could not Work! Could not Play!

### How Zam-Buk Brought Relief

Mr. Julius Glaeser, of Denbigh, Ont., says: "I was so tortured by piles that I could not get ease while sitting, standing, or lying down. The ailment suffered me of strength, of appetite, and of all desire to live. I had rubbed so long and so acutely, that I came to think there was no cure for me. One day I found out that I was wrong."

I was told that Zam-Buk cured piles, and that this balm was altogether different to ordinary ointments, scores of which I had proved useless for so bad a case as mine was. I got a supply of Zam-Buk and began to use it regularly.

"Without going into unnecessary detail in a few weeks I found myself cured. I owe my cure to Zam-Buk entirely, and I trust my experience will be the means of leading other sufferers to try this great herbal balm."

Nothing need be added to this plain, powerful testimony to have one question—if you suffer like Mr. Glaeser did, why not get relief from the one source, or I found out that I was wrong."

Zam-Buk—as he truly says—is "something different" to the ordinary ointments and salves. It is a powerful combination of healing and soothing herbal essences. No mineral astringents or poisons; no impure animal fats.

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And this is not counting the serial stories, which it is believed will find its best Canadian subscribers will find it of special advantage to send at once the \$2.00 for the new 1910 VOLUME. Not only does he get the beautiful "Venetian" Calendar for 1910, lithographed in thirteen colors and containing all the news of the year, but for the remaining weeks of 1909 from the time the subscription is received.

## THE YOUTH'S COMPANION.

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Apply to the owner—

GEO. F. ROOT, Red Deer.

## LOST.

A lady's long black fur, a week ago lost, and towards Hildon, post office. The man who was seen with it on his saddle will kindly return it to the News Office.

Nov. 15th.

## ESTRAY.

Came to the premises of the undersigned, S.E. 1/4 Sec. 43-28, W. 4, about Nov. 1st—1 black heifer, white under belly, no brand visible; 1 red and white steer, no brand visible; 1 black steer, no brand visible. Owner can have same by proving property and paying expenses.

Red Deer, Nov. 23, '09.

A. GEHRKE.

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### Councillors:

H. H. Gaetz  
P. Pidgeon  
Thos. Gaetz  
F. H. Tallman  
S. E. McKee  
H. B. Hill  
City Clerk, A. T. Stephenson.

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R. L. Gaetz.  
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Celebration of the Holy Communion Every Sunday at 8 a.m. and also at 11 a.m. on 1st Sunday of every month.

Sunday School at 2.30.

Choir Practice, Thursday at 8.

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Services, Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.

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Prayer Meeting Wednesday eve at 7.30. Choir Practice at 8.30.

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Rev. C. E. Huessli, M.A., Pastor.

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Wednesday evening, Epworth League and Prayer Meeting 8.00

Wednesday, Junior League 4.15

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Aug. 10th, 1909.

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THEO. DOMINIQUE.

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THEY ARE SO LOW—nothing reserved—everything goes. The shelving, the counters and the floors will be swept clean, at such ridiculously low prices that you may as well have the best and pay less than inferior goods bring elsewhere.

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ON ALL MEN'S AND BOYS' CLOTHING. These are not the cheap, poorly-designed, sweat shop, ordinary clothing found in most places, but goods that are "The Shrine of Fashion"—Clothing you can depend on to hold its shape; will wear well. It's stylish too.

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THAT THIS SHOE STOCK HAS RECEIVED. You would think them the cheap kind, the prices asked are so small, but better Shoes no merchant ever sold at anywhere near regular prices. The red ticket prices will astonish you, they are so wondrously low.

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ARE SUCH PRICES as you will find such nifty Furnishings for Men selling for. They are the kind, too, that has long caused Red Deer's dressy men to make this their shopping centre. Xmas soon here. Just the things men like, savingly priced.

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## SALE OPENS SATURDAY, December 4

At 9 O'CLOCK, AND WILL CONTINUE FOR 21 DAYS

These will be days that Price-Cutting will border on the ridiculous. There will be no limit. The orders are—"SELL THE GOODS," and when the GORDON SALES CO. get these orders they make short work of even such large stocks.

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Now, men, be honest! You need warm underwear, the kind that defies and laughs at the cold. That's here, and the kind that wears. Then, the prices asked are so small you might not think it the best, but it is.

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## REMEMBER THAT THE \$15,000 STOCK MUST BE SOLD IN THE 21 DAYS

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### LISTEN TO THIS!

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AT THE L. M. GAETZ STAND, RED DEER, ALTA.

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THIS SALE.



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	arr.	dep.
North-bound	- 11.38	11.48 a.m.
	- 18.31	18.41 p.m.
South-bound	- 12.04	12.14 p.m.
	- 18.21	18.31 p.m.

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Money to loan on farm property, improved or unimproved, at 8% on the straight loan system.  
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A good stock now on hand.

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21 sheep and 11 head of cattle.  
10 Shropshire Rams  
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The shipment includes the 3rd Prize yearling Yorkshire bull at Toronto, and also prize-winning sheep at different fairs in Ontario.  
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See me in preference to all others.  
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Satisfaction guaranteed in every instance.

## TRADE RELATIONS BETWEEN ALBERTA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

James Bower, of the U.F.A., Addresses the Victoria Board of Trade on the Subject.

At a recent meeting of the Victoria, B.C., Board of Trade, Mr. James Bower, of Red Deer, president of the United Farmers of Alberta, delivered a very comprehensive address on the question of trade relations between the two westernmost provinces of the Dominion. The Colonist's report of the address is as follows:

"Mr. President and Gentlemen: In appearing before you as a special representative of the province of Alberta and more particularly of the association known as the United Farmers of Alberta, I wish to state in the first place, the object of my mission here. It is simply this: The extension of markets for our Alberta farm produce; to give the conditions as they exist here, both in this regard and in regard to anything that will encourage the development of inter-provincial trade; and to solicit the co-operation of the producers of British Columbia products and the consumers of Alberta products in helping us to overcome the barriers that may be in the way of legitimate trade between the provinces.

"What this legitimate trade should be at the present time is very plain. It should be a fair and unfettered exchange of the grain, hay and live stock of the Alberta farms for the lumber, fruit and fish of British Columbia.

"What the barriers are is not quite so plain. Of course, there is one which is very formidable, and no doubt the greatest one at the present time—that is, the high cost and poor facilities of transportation. This is a question which to many people, when they are asked to consider, quietly fold their arms and say: 'There is no use trying to do anything, at least until you get competing lines of railway.' But to the Alberta farmer this is not a satisfactory answer; it is too much of pain. To make an intelligent survey of the situation we need to size it up in this aspect.

"It is surely not in the interest of the people of the province to look at it from a seasonal or locally selfish standpoint. We should not say 'After me the deluge,' and then dismiss it from our minds, because the natural sources and proximity of these sister provinces are such that for one to succeed both most succeed.

"Now, we must confess that a very great part of the wealth of our wealth has not been created here; it has been brought here by the flow of immigration from other lands; and in proportion as immigration ceases prosperity ceases unless the resources of the country are developed along the right lines.

"To develop along the right lines we must build on a solid foundation, and to get that foundation we must get down to the bottom.

"THE OBVIOUS DUTY  
"It will not help the B.C. lumberman to rail at the Alberta farmer because he does not buy lumber, if the Alberta farmer has no money to buy with; nor will it help the Alberta farmer to rail at the British Columbia lumberman because he does not buy his hay, oats and meat if the price when it gets here is prohibitive. What both should do is to work hand in hand towards reducing the spread in price between what the producer gets and the consumer pays.

"Now, I would like to disabuse the minds of a great many good people whom I find here of the idea that Alberta is a strictly wheat-growing province. That we have large areas of land entirely given over to wheat growing, is true, but by far the greatest area is occupied by men who have chosen the more sure, though possibly the slower method of mixed farming. I use the word 'occupied' advisedly, for too often this is about all that they get. While they have the utmost confidence in the productivity of the soil, and have abundant proof of it every year, yet their production is stunted because of lack of markets. The men who enter mixed farming are not the class who are satisfied with a little shack on the prairie. They have been used to good homes and have come to Alberta to build up permanent homes for their families. To do this, they want your lumber, and

to make their life worth living, they want your fruit; it is more palatable and more effective than doctor's medicine.

**FREIGHT RATES**  
"To get this lumber, fruit and fish, we need to exchange with you our farm products, and here the barrier of excessive freight rates intervenes.

"It is generally taken as an accepted fact that railways charge the highest rates that trade will bear, but here we find that they are greatly over-doing it, thus retarding trade, to the detriment of both provinces. It is hardly to be supposed that the C. P. R. does not understand the situation, yet it is just possible that the company does not fully comprehend how serious it is. I know there have been cases where matters have been adjusted on the representations and the request of our Farmers' associations, the company stating through their officials that these grievances existed only because they had not been properly brought to their notice, and that subsequently the need of redress had not been seen. It would seem, therefore, as if the combined forces of the producers and consumers of both provinces should surely have some effect in this matter of rates. At all events, if a thing is worth having, it is worth asking for.

"Of course, there are those among us who are uncharitable enough to say that the C. P. R. does not want to encourage trade between the provinces, and that they do not want to encourage the A.B.C. route as an outlet for our export grain. If this is the true aspect of the case, then it is the duty of our government to take concerted action on our part. The action must be taken by the producers and consumers—the dealers not being much interested, because the others have to pay the bills.

"There are others, again, who say that the time is not opportune, we must till new roads are built; but while the new roads may give some relief in through rates, if we can get a reduced mileage rate, the new roads will not help inter-provincial trade, the different classes of freight being gathered from and delivered to so many widely separated points.

"Another barrier to inter-provincial trade is that of monopoly; and here again in order to effect our purpose we must have co-operation of the producer and consumer. If the producer has not confidence enough in the market to believe that he will get a fair price for his product, he will not produce. The history of the dairy industry in the province of Alberta shows this very plainly.

"When it was altogether in the hands of the operators of privately-owned creameries the prices were forced down on the farmer all they ceased supplying cream, which meant the closing of the creameries for lack of supply; but after the government took hold of that particular industry, the supply increased in such a way that there is more business for the private creameries to do with the government competition than there would be without. Thus, there is no one so much benefited by the government creamery as the private creamery men, though they have opposed it heretofore. And the fact that the farmer has a greater confidence in getting a fair price for his butter more than anything else has resulted in hundreds of men engaging in the dairy business—and that altogether against their inclinations and original intentions.

**LIVESTOCK TRADE**  
"The effect of the monopoly of the livestock trade in these provinces is such that the law of supply and demand does not apply. It also shows the fallacy of the belief that a protective tariff will always protect. Fully 90 per cent. of the cured meats used in the provinces of Alberta and British Columbia is imported, and chiefly across the line. This is in the face of a duty of two cents a pound, a long railway haul and the supply coming from a place where the live animal is always several cents per pound higher than in Alberta. Where farmers cannot take the risk of production, though living in a country where conditions for production are ideal.

"It might be possible, under present conditions, for the Alberta producers, with the assistance of our livestock commissioner to ship their export cattle; but, having no one of the class called 'butcher,' cattle would be left on their hands, unless some means were devised for placing these on the British Columbia market—where it is now placed by the present existing monopoly.

"As for hogs, the situation is worse. There are in Alberta what we call 'packing' plants, but they are almost altogether used as cold storage plants.

"The price of live hogs is occasionally high to encourage production but this is simply a nominal price, obtainable only at a time when the farmers have a few hogs to sell, and invariably goes down when the production increases. The cold storage plant is then stocked up, which stock comes on your market later, but not at a reduction according to the price paid to the producer.

**MEASURE TO PROGRESS**  
"It is very evident to a thinking man that such a state of affairs is a menace to the best interests of both provinces, and as such should not be allowed to exist. It is quite easy to say that time will cure these evils, but are you sure? It is not much more than probable that as time goes on these monopolies will enlarge and tighten their grip. Are there not evidences of this brought before your notice every day?

"If the flow of immigration should be checked because of these conditions who will be the great loser? Will it not be the residents of the cities, the lumber men, the fruit growers, and all those who are dependent on a prosperous and growing agricultural community?

These are questions which should occupy our minds with the object of guarding against such a contingency.  
"Now, with a combined effort to show causes why the railways should reduce their mileage rates, and if we set ourselves to the task of devising ways and means to free ourselves from the grasp of monopoly, we should be able to accomplish something along that line also. If public stockyards and abattoirs were provided in the coast cities, the producers could send their hogs there, of course they would not care to take the risk unless there were independent buyers here to handle the stock.

**CATTLE TO WINTER.**  
Wanted—party to winter 25 or 30 head of young steers, stabling not necessary.  
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Two Yearling Steers—one a black muley, and the other red and white with horns—both branded KR2 on right rump. Also one red and white yearling muley steer, branded with inverted G, followed by an anchor, with half diamond underneath, on right rump.  
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" Sirloin Steak	12½c.
" Porterhouse Steak	15c.
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This week we are making a special window. We are more anxious to please you, and have your confidence, than to make money out of you. We find it pays in the end. Here are a few Bargains for Friday the 3rd of December. Remember the first Lady purchaser gets a valuable present. There is also one for the first Gentleman. See them in our window as you pass by.

## For the Lady of the House.

20 Solid Gold Brooches, in a variety of designs, and set with pearls, emeralds, rubies, etc. These brooches sell regularly from \$5.50 to \$8.50. Your choice Friday	\$2.50
Ladies' Gold Filled Watch and Chain. Guaranteed movement, and worth \$10.00.	Friday 5.00
1 only Solid Gold Twin Diamond and Sapphire Ring. Worth \$22.00.	Friday 11.00
3 only 14 k. Solid Gold Solitaire Diamond Rings; worth \$12.00.	Friday 6.00
2 only Solid Gold Twin-hole Pearl Rings; regular at \$5.00.	Friday 2.50
Cut Glass Peppers and Salts, sterling silver tops; worth regular \$2.50.	Friday 1.25
1 only Solid Gold Real Pearl Set Bracelet; regular \$10.00.	Friday 8.50
1 only Solid Gold Real Pearl Set Bracelet, 14 k.; regular \$25.00	Friday 12.50
1 only Solid Gold 3-stone Opal Ring; regular \$30.00.	Friday 3.50
Sterling Silver Set Brush, Comb and Mirror; regular \$20.00.	Friday 12.00
1 only Ebony Set, 4 pieces, Brush, Comb, Mirror and Cloth Brush; regular \$14.00.	Friday 7.00
Plated Brooches, assorted designs; regular \$1.25 to \$2.00.	Friday 75c.
Half doz. 1817 Rogers Bros. Tea Spoons; regular \$2.50.	Friday 1.25
1 Eight-day Mantle Clock, guaranteed movement; regular \$11.00.	Friday 5.50
Glazed Pottery Jardiniere; worth \$6.00.	Friday 2.75

## For the Husband.

10 size Solid Silver Watch, good reliable movement; worth regular \$10.00.	Friday 5.00
Gold and Gold Filled Scarf Pins, assorted designs; worth regular \$1.50 to \$2.00.	Friday 90c.
Silver Smoker Set; worth \$3.00.	Friday 1.50
Best quality Gilt Bedroom Clock; worth regular \$4.50.	Friday 2.25
Solid Gold Cuff Links; worth regular \$5.00.	Friday 3.00

**H. H. HUMBER**  
The Watchmaker and Jeweller  
C.P.R. WATCH INSPECTOR

## Town Council.

The regular meeting of the Town Council was held Thursday evening last, his worship Mayor Botterill in the chair, with Councilors Hill, T. A. Gaetz, McKee and Pidgeon in attendance.

### CORRESPONDENCE.

The clerk of Gleichen asked for copy of by-laws. The clerk answered.

John McDougall, of Calgary Caledonian Iron Works, wrote enclosing blue print of pump.

R. B. Chadwick wrote regarding care of Scannell children. Filed.

Father Voison notified the Council there would be four vacancies on the North Red Deer Separate School Board.

M. A. Munro, secretary of the Public School Board, notified the Council there would be three vacancies on the Board.

S. E. McKee tendered his resignation as Councillor to take effect 31st Dec. Resignation accepted.

F. J. L. Harrison, secretary of the Western Fire Underwriters' Association, wrote the association had already quoted a reduction of 5 cents for the installation of a duplicate pumping system, if in addition the suction pipes are also in duplicate there will be a further reduction of 1 cent. If the pumps are installed in a first class building, that is brick with fire proof roof, a reduction of 1 cent will be allowed. If the pumping station were to be occupied solely by the waterworks, with no electric lighting plant therein, the reduction would be 10 cents. If the city were equipped with a standard fire alarm system, with a sufficient number of boxes throughout, a reduction of 5 cents would be made. None of these reductions will be credited until inspection by officers of association.

### COMMISSIONERS' REPORT.

The following report was introduced by the Commissioners and accepted:

We have rented the Lyric Theatre for Wednesday, Dec. 1st, to hold the annual ratepayers' meeting. Bills are ordered giving notice of this.

Having received unfavorable reports of the conduct of the two eldest Scannell boys, we had Chief Rothnie arrest Guy on the charge of being a vagrant and an undesirable citizen. He was given 24 hours to leave town by the J. P., and left for the United States. We requested R. B. Chadwick, Supt. of dependent children, to come down and take charge of the younger children, and he came down last night and investigated the case. The matter will be finally settled within a few days.

No reply or acknowledgement has been received from the Western General Electric Co. regarding the offer the Town made to purchase their plant.

We have had the water mains in exposed places covered with manure, also the hydrants. Some of the hydrants will be covered with boxes especially those on the main streets. The water in the river is very low at present. To prevent any interfering with the supply we have instructed Foreman Mifflin to cut a channel from the current of the river to the filtration basin.

We recommend that we be authorized to have the wooden cell built in the police station, storm porches built on the entrance to the main office and the police station and storm windows placed on the basement windows. We ask your authority to sell to the best advantage several stoves now on hand which are not required.

On the invitation of the Mayor of High River, Councillor H. H. Gaetz and Commissioner Stephenson visited that Town on Tuesday and delivered addresses on the commission government of Towns, particularly as applied in Red Deer.

The Secretary of the Fire Underwriters' Association has stated the reductions that will be granted in insurance rates, as will be noted by the correspondence.

We submit for your consideration accounts certified correct. We submit for third reading a by-law to hold the annual elections.

The special report of the Commissioners, dealing with the frontage tax, was adopted on motion of Councillor T. A. Gaetz. The following accounts were passed on motion of Councillor Hill:

Town of Red Deer	\$ 500.00
Imperial Bank	1203.63
A. E. Foster	7.84
W. Piper & Co.	5.00
The Bristol Co.	3.38
Geo. Bryan	3.84
Red Deer P. S. Board	1000.00
H. Lowden	20.42
Willson Staty. Co.	3.04
Gorman Clancy & Grindley	49.75
Councillor T. A. Gaetz drew attention to the coal shortage, and thought something should be done to secure a more prompt shipment of coal. Mr. Hewson informed him it took three days for one car and six days for another car from Strathcona. The railway company might be ap-	

## SUNLIGHT SOAP



The finest fabric is not too delicate to be safely washed with Sunlight Soap. When other soaps have injured your linens and faded the coloured things, remember the word Sunlight.

proached and asked to assist in getting over the difficulty. The Mayor said he would look into the matter at once with the C.P.R.

Councillor McKee drew attention to the fact that a great many panes of glass were broken by boys. He thought the constable might investigate and prosecute any lad found around a vacant house and make them explain what they were doing there. A boy breaking windows should be prosecuted.

The Mayor said unless Engineer Neville's engagement was dealt with by this meeting of the Council, he would be engaged for next year. He thought we should leave next year's council free to re-engage him if they desired to do so, and we should really only engage him during the life of this council.

Councillor McKee moved, seconded by Councillor Hill, that H. G. H. Neville be notified that his present engagement with the town be terminated on Dec. 31, 1909. Carried.

This was only done to give the new council a free hand in the matter.

Councillor Hill said he did not see the need of keeping Neil Mifflin during the winter months. He thought we might save that amount to the town.

The Mayor did not know at present whether we could do without him or not at the present time. He was working pretty steadily up to this time and there appeared to be plenty of work ahead for a man acquainted with the water system and cutting out the roadway through the new park.

No action was taken. The council adjourned at 9.30 o'clock.

A gift that only you can give. What would be better than a living portrait of yourself?—the kind we make. Come now, before the rush, and let us have the order. We are prepared to give you the best your money can buy. W. B. Falkner, photographer, Michener Block.

### ESTRAY CATTLE.

Strayed on to the premises of the undersigned, a red heifer, white spot on forehead and white under the flank, with her calf; also a three-year-old bull, dark red, short-horn grade, with some white on right side. Owner can have same by paying expenses and taking them away.

### LE PRENTICE.

On the J. Lewis homestead, near Industrial School.

### ESTRAY.

Came on to the premises of the undersigned, last week, a perfectly dark red heifer, three or four years old, brand on right side, but cannot say what it is. Owner can have same by paying for this ad and keep.

JAMES DEATY,  
Calgary and Edmonton Trail,  
Nov. 23 13w

### ESTRAY.

1 red cow and calf, branded F V with half diamond above, on left ribs; 1 cow branded as above. Each have both ears split. A suitable reward will be given for their recovery. Any person harboring these after this notice will be prosecuted.

GEO. F. ROOT, Red Deer.  
Red Deer, Nov. 10.

### HOUSE TO LET.

Good sized house to let in Parkvale, with furnace. Only \$10 a month for winter months.—Apply  
H. MEERES, Firehall.

### NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company will apply to the Parliament of Canada, at its next session, for an Act amending the Act incorporating the Company, chapter 99 of the Statutes of 1906, and authorizing the construction of the following additional lines of railway:

(1) From a point on the Western Division of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway in the vicinity of the town of Watrous, Sask., to a point at or near Calgary, Alta., or to a point on the line authorized to be constructed by the Company from a point on the said Western Division between the 111th and 118th degrees of longitude to Calgary, Alta.

(2) From a point on the proposed line mentioned in paragraph (1), within ranges 1, 4 or 6, west of the third meridian, thence in a south-easterly and easterly direction to a point at or near Regina, Sask.

(3) From a point on the proposed line mentioned in paragraph (1), within ranges 21, 22, 23 or 24, west of the third meridian, thence in a northerly or northeasterly direction to a point at or near the town of Sisseton, Sask.  
W. H. BIGGAR,  
Solicitor for the Applicants.  
Montreal, Oct. 25st, 1908.

# The W. E. LORD Coy.

Fine Display

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## NOVELTIES

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## Christmas Presents!

SHOP EARLY AND GET THE BEST SELECTION

Hand-painted Cushion Tops, \$1.25  
Silk embroidered " " \$1.25, \$2.35  
Tapestry, with cord to match, 50c complete  
Chiffon and Silk embroidered Centrepieces, 75c and \$1.75  
Wall Tides, assorted, 25c each  
Stamped Slipper Bags, 65c  
Embroidered Linen Bags, assorted colors, 35c to 90c  
Cushion Frillings, assorted, 45c length  
Drawn Linen Table Centre, 65c to \$3.50  
" Tray Cloths, \$1.00 to \$2.50  
" Sideboard Cloths, \$1.40 to \$2.75

Swiss embroidered Table, Centre and Sideboard Set of 3, complete, \$2.50  
Battenberg lace Table Centre, \$2.50  
Sideboard Cloth to match, 18 x 24, \$1.75  
Pure Irish Linen Table Cloth, 72 x 108 \$20.00  
With Napkins to match, 26 x 26 set  
Pure Irish Linen Table Cloth, 72 x 90 \$9.00  
With Napkins to match, 24 x 24  
3 Pure Eiderdown Comforters, one side floral art sateen, rich colors, full size, \$8.75  
2 Pure Eiderdown Comforters, with frill, trimmed art sateen, \$10.50  
Choice Wool Blankets, pure wool, \$5.00, \$5.75 to \$9.50  
Net and Silk Waists, \$1.75 to \$3.50  
Fownes' and Perrin's Gloves, all guaranteed, \$1.00 to \$2.75

Fur Collars, Stoles and Muffs, \$3.00 to 65.00  
Leather Bags and Purses, from 25c to \$10.50  
Wall Tides, Pin Cushions, Tie Holders and Fancy Glove and Handkerchief Boxes  
Fancy Collars and Neck Ties, all the newest designs, from 25c to \$1.50  
Children's Toggles and Scarfs, from 25c  
A swell range of Men's Neckwear and Mufflers, 25c to \$1.75  
Men's Lined Gloves and Mitts  
Fancy Hair Combs, jet, steel and amber, newest designs, 10c, 15c, 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c  
Setts Side, Back and Barrette, 50c and 65c  
Fancy Collars and Belts, in all the latest patterns, 10c. to \$1.75  
Ladies' Leather Handbags, in an endless variety of styles and colorings, 25c to \$12.50  
We have the swiftest range of Fancy Handkerchiefs, and all qualities, in plain lawn and plain linen, fancy lace and hand embroidered goods, 5c to \$2.35  
Fancy Boxes, Pin Cushions, Pipe Racks, Hatpin Holders, and dozens of fancy articles for presents  
Japanese Dressing Gowns, Ladies' Golfers and Fancy Wool Coats

For the Children we have Toys, Teddy Bears, Dolls, etc., for amusement, and all kinds of Garments for their comfort

This Store Offers  
Unusual Attractions  
to Shoppers of  
Heavy Winter  
Goods  
AND  
Holiday Goods

# The W. E. LORD Coy.



## YOU'RE GOING TO BUY SOME Christmas Presents

Within the next month. If we are both fortunate we're going to sell them to you.

We'll both profit by it.

That's the kind of a store this is—and that's the way we are running it—making a business of looking out for the other person's profit; that's our way, the best way of looking out for our own.

What sort of present you want matters little to us, for our stock is so large that it includes everything usually given. We can surely suit you if it's anything in

Brushes Perfumes Manicures Toilets  
Confectionery Stationery Books  
Brass Goods Burnt Leather China  
Pipes Pictures Etc. Etc.

To stimulate early buying we will hold all Christmas Gift goods bought now until Christmas week or any time you may desire, on payment of 25 per cent. down.

## GRIEVE & Co. DRUGGISTS and STATIONERS.

## LOCAL & GENERAL.

Fred. Markell is very low at the hospital with typhoid fever.

Mrs. E. M. Kane will in future receive the first Friday of each month.

Mrs. Frank will be the guest of Mrs. Wm. Piper during the winter.

Geo. Henderson has sold his coal and draying business to Bard Bros.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Pearson have moved back to Red Deer for the winter.

A carload of dry drop-siding just arrived at W.M. Jarvis' lumber yard from the coast.

H. H. Humber has purchased the Mason residence, Douglas Street, and moved into same.

The firemen are always ready to help you in time of danger. Show your appreciation to-morrow night by attending their concert.

F. Billingshurst left Sunday for a visit to friends in the east and England. Rumor has it that he will not return alone.

The Ladies of the Altar Society will hold their Bazaar Friday afternoon and Saturday Dec. 10th and 11th, serving lunch both days, and the drawing for the articles for which tickets have been sold will take place on Saturday evening at 9-30 o'clock.

The Juvenile Bostonians will be at the Lyric on Thursday evening, the 9th of December, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian church. This is a splendid organization and well worthy of patronage. Secure your seats early.

Snell, the jeweller, is having a grand opening day on Dec. 11th. We are not following our usual custom this Christmas by giving away calendars, but we intend to make a present of a fine vase to every customer on Dec. 11th. As we only have a limited number of these we can only give one to each person on the 11th of December. We have the largest stock of souvenir goods, so be sure and see ours before buying elsewhere.

A pleasant social evening was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Loveland on Thursday evening, Nov. 25th, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of Springvale church. Notwithstanding the cold night, a large number gathered and spent a few hours enjoyably in games and social conversation as well as listening to the fine program presented by local talent assisted by Miss C. Michener, Mrs. E. Michener, Rev. W. M. Scott, and E. Michener, M.P.P. The latter gave a bright, pithy address, which was much appreciated. After the program dainty refreshments were served by the ladies. The proceeds were \$17 to be applied to the parsonage fund.

See Huskins' window for toys, the best and cheapest.

Salvia is a beautiful Hair Dressing.

## LOW PRICES!

Courteous and intelligent service makes Xmas Shopping a pleasure at our Drug Store.

## THAT'S WHY OUR STORE IS ALWAYS CROWDED.

It is now nearing Christmas time, and you should come in and see the largest and most attractive collection of miscellaneous Christmas gifts ever gotten together under one roof in this town—and the best part of it is, these beautiful gifts are within the reach of all.

If we can't please you, you can't be pleased.

OUR PRICES ARE ALWAYS THE LOWEST

The Gaetz-Cornett Drug & Book Co., Ltd.

English toys at Huskins'. See his window this week. Best show in the town.

Hall's Cash Store is offering a few furs slightly damaged by water at half price this week. If you want one come quick.

The Juvenile Bostonians will be in Red Deer on Dec. 9th under the auspices of the Presbyterian Ladies' Aid. This is really the most attractive and clever Juvenile opera company on the continent and all should hear them.

Hill, Murphy & Company are to-day unloading a car of E. D. Smith's canned goods, consisting of canned vegetables, fruits and pure fruit jams. This will give the citizens of Red Deer a chance to buy Canada's leading canned goods at lowest prices.

### BIRTH.

In Red Deer, on Tuesday, Nov. 23rd, to Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Clarke, a son.

### Curling Notes.

At a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Red Deer Curling Club last week the following skippers were selected for the present season: W. E. Payne, Hugh Clarke, Geo. Lindsay, Mark Hanna, F. W. Galbraith, T. A. Gaetz, R. O. Brumpton, R.B. Welliver, Harry Wallace, A. T. Stephenson and J. A. Carswell.

At a meeting of the skippers on Saturday the following rinks were chosen:

Hill	Parker
Lord	Cairns
Paxton	Main
Payne, skip	Clarke, skip
Kanes	LaFrance
Greene	Evans
H. L. Gaetz	Rowntree
Lindsay, skip	Carswell, skip
McCall	Snell
Maupin	Lawson
Randall	Mann
Hanna, skip	T. A. Gaetz, skip
Tallman	Huskins
McKay	Newton
Brown	Gibson
Brumpton, skip	Welliver, skip
Downey	Duguid
Horn	Gillespie
Botterill	Carswell
Wallace, skip	Stephenson, skip
Lees	
McKinnon	
Humber	
Galbraith, skip	

The President vs. Vice-President match was arranged, and sides chosen as follows:

President	Vice President
Welliver vs. Brumpton	
Stephenson vs. Clarke	
Lindsay vs. Payne	
T. A. Gaetz vs. Hanna	
Galbraith vs. Wallace	
Stephenson vs. Carswell	

The games were to have started Monday night last, but owing to the soft ice they were postponed to freezing weather.

### ESTRAY STEERS.

Strayed onto the Indian Industrial School farm 3 steers, one red and one Hereford, both branded H 4 on right rump. Will owner remove them at once and pay expenses. Dec. 1.

### ESTRAY COW.

Came to the place of the undersigned, about Nov. 15th, '98, red and white cow, about 5 years old; no visible brand. Owner can have same by paying expenses. Dec. 1.

F. CHAS. EYRE, Dec. 1, 1.3w. S.E. q. 38-37-28, W. 4

### ESTRAY CATTLE.

Came onto the premises of the undersigned a three year old black and white and a three year old heifer, red with a few white spots. Tip of right ear cut off. No visible brand. O. B. WILKINSON, two miles and a half west of Red Deer. Dec. 1.

### STRAYED.

Bay Gelding, weight about 1,200 lbs, branded 7 on left shoulder; had halter and small sleigh bell on. Anyone finding same kindly communicate with the undersigned.

### RICHARD PRICE.

N.W. 1/4 Sec 16-45, W. 5th, Leslieville, Alberta.

### FURNISHED ROOMS.

To Rent—two furnished Bedrooms and living room.—Apply to MRS. HADLEY, Nanton Ave., Nov. 23rd (Opposite Alexander St.)

### YES, HERE'S ONE MORE CHANCE!

On Wednesday, Dec. 8th, 1909

a Ten Months' Credit

### AUCTION SALE

of CATTLE, PIGS and CHICKENS. Favored with instructions from Mr. Emerson Brown, who is moving to his homestead in another part of Alberta, I will by auction his live stock, which is in good shape and of a good growing strain, and comprises the following:

CATTLE—3 three-year-old Steers; 5 two-year-old Steers; 20 to 25 yearling Steers and Heifers; 25 Calves.

PIGS—30 Figs, from 100 lb. to 100 lb.

40 CHICKENS, some being Buff Orpingtons.

5 of the above cattle are pure bred Shorthorns, eligible for registration.

The sale will take place on the farm of Messrs. Wilson Bros., close to Clearview Schoolhouse, 1 mile east and 3 miles south from Red Deer, where Mr. Brown has successfully farmed for the past 3 years.

Terms of Sale: \$20 and under, Cash; over that, amount a joint bankable note at Ten months will be taken, bearing interest at six per cent. per annum, if paid when due; if not, 8 per cent. from date of sale will be charged. A discount of 25 per cent. will be given on sums over \$20.

Lunch on at eleven o'clock. Sale, at twelve, and please be on time. FRANK MOTT, M.A.A.A., Auctioneer, Red Deer

## CREDIT AUCTION SALE!

at Twelve Months.

Monday, December 6.

Three miles South-West of Red Deer.

Favored with instructions from Mr. N. J. Johnson, who through ill-health is forced to relinquish farming here, and is returning to the Coast. I will sell by public auction at his farm, being the old Cheeseborough place, the N.W. q. of Sec. 28, Tp. 37, Rge. 27, W. 4, his live and dead farming stock, furniture, &c., comprising the following:

HORSES: Black mare, about 1500 lbs., eight years old; two-year-old filly; one-year-old filly; sucking colt; cayuse mare, in foal, 1000 lbs.

CATTLE: Eight milch cows, some fresh and some due soon, Grade Ayrshire due soon; two-year-old heifer, due February; three calves; six pigs, three months old. Also about 20 tons of hay, standing on Mr. Jas. Smith's farm.

IMPLEMENTS, &c.: Disc harrow; drag harrow; 18-inch stubble plow; combination plow; set both weights; double seated cutter; set driving harness; set heavy work harness; platform scales to weigh 240 lbs.

FURNITURE: Half dozen chairs; rockers; two tables; Kingphone and disc; cook stove; heater, coal or wood; and other articles.

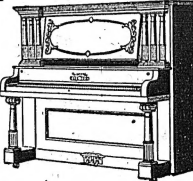
TERMS: \$20 and under Cash. Over that, amount a joint bankable note will be taken at 12 months, bearing interest at eight per cent. if paid when due; if not, 10 per cent.

Lunch on at 11 o'clock. Sale to commence at noon, and please be on time. Farm will also be offered at a very low reserve price.

FRANK MOTT, M.A.A.A., Auctioneer, Red Deer.

## A FINE GIFT

For the whole Family.



If you could purchase

a Fine Piano, of beautiful tone and touch, a Marvel of Musical Mechanism and a splendid ornament to any room at the same time, for an exceptionally

low price which can be paid in weekly or monthly instalments, to suit yourself "would you consider it a very LIBERAL OFFER."

For full particulars and price, consult

## BEST BROTHERS,

Dealers in Pianos, Organs, Sewing Machines  
Mann St. Opp. Court House,  
RED DEER ALTA

## THE EMPRESS SHOE

SETS THE FASHION FOR WOMEN



\$4.00

Your first step to absolute satisfaction is when you buy a pair of Empress Shoes. Every step taken is a step of comfort for either the school-girl, the mother or grandmother, and in addition to comfort you will be wearing the make of shoe which sets the fashion for Canada.

A pair of Empress Shoes makes a very acceptable and useful Xmas Gift for any lady.

We have them in buttoned and laced, Shoes and Oxfords, at prices from \$3.00 to \$5.00.

## W.T. COOTE

"The Shoe Store of Quality."

THE HOME of "THE BELL SHOE"

# THE PEOPLE'S STORE.

We sell "Campbell's Clothing for Men."

# YOU'LL SOON BE BUYING YOUR XMAS GROCERIES

Our line is more complete than ever. Every year scores of people buy their Groceries from us for their Christmas Cooking who for various reasons do not buy from us at any other time. There's a reason for this. An experienced Groceryman told us the other day that, with the exception of one Calgary Store, ours was the SWELLEST stock of Groceries in Alberta. Are you going to take advantage of this opportunity?

**SHELLED WALNUTS.** We have again been fortunate in securing a quantity of Cerneau Walnuts, imported from France; perfectly fresh and free from that bitter taste. Per lb. 50c  
Valencia Walnuts, large kernels, this year's crop. Per lb. 50c  
Sultana Raisins, the always reliable "Minerva" brand. " 15c  
Choice new Seeded Raisins, 16 oz. packages 2 for 25c  
Choice Filiatra Currants Per lb. 12½c and 15c  
McConochie's Peels, Mixed, Lemon, Citron and Orange Per lb. 25c  
Choice Smyrna Figs, large size " 20c

## GOOD NEWS FOR THE LOVERS OF GOOD PRESERVES

We have just received our first shipment of Goodwillie's new pack. We have them in Raspberries, Strawberries, Peaches, Bartlett Pears and Greengages. These lines all put in glass, and by a special process the packer has been able to retain the natural flavor per jar 35c  
Crosse & Blackwell's Marmalade per 7 lb. tin 80c  
Cairns' Scotch Marmalade; it's delicious 1.00  
" Strawberry and Raspberry Jam, in glass each 30c  
" Ginger Marmalade, in glass " 30c  
Chevier's Strawberry and Raspberry Jam per 7 lb. tin 1.25  
White clover Honey, put up by Bruce Davis, of St. Thomas, Ont. per 5 lb. tin—only 95c

## HUNTLEY & PALMER'S BISCUITS

In PHILIPINES, ACORNS and SHORTBREAD.

Heinz' Mixed Pickles, Gherkins, Onions, etc. 25c and 50c  
Gillards' Relish (English), put up in large bottles each 50c  
Lipton's Pickled Walnuts " 45c  
French Peas " per tin—each 15c  
Spanish Queen Olives " 25c and 50c  
Stuffed Olives (celery) " each 40c  
" (tomato) " 40c  
Dumbar's Ready Lunch Shrimps " per tin—each 20c

## CHOICE CHRISTMAS CHOCOLATES

Put Up in Attractive Boxes - per Box—25c, 50c and 75c

## OUR TOY DEPARTMENT

Is loaded down with new and attractive devices to please and entertain the Children. Our prices are right. Come in now and make your selection and we will deliver your goods for you the day before Christmas, if you so desire.

# Hill, Murphy & Co.

GENERAL MERCHANTS - RED DEER.

Agents for Carhart's Overalls, Campbell's Clothing and Barrington Hats